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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Ling Yuk Cheung

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to respond to the June 20, 2006 Restriction Requirement. With the extension, the deadline to respond is October 20, 2006.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge \$1,020 in payment of the requisite fee under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17(a)(3) and 1.136(a), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075, Order No. 003929-0020. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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